

## Auto Run to Upton Delayed by Rain; To Be Held To-morrow

## 200 Persons Expected to Make Free Trip From City to Training Camp

## Teachers Help Fund

## Contributions to Maintain Ser- vice Being Collected by William Guggenheim

The American Automobile Association's fourth free run to Camp Upton, Long Island, scheduled for last Sunday and postponed because of rain, will take place to-morrow. James A. Hemstreet, director of the service, announced this last night. The next free run, the fifth in the greater city to Yaphank service, will take place Sunday as usual.

Two hundred persons will make to-morrow's trip. They include the relatives of fighting men at Upton scheduled to have gone last Sunday. Mr. Hemstreet cancelled Sunday's trip when only five of those for whom reservations had been made put in an appearance.

The two big sightseeing "buses" provided by the American Defence Society will take part in to-morrow's trip. One of the "buses" will leave from Columbus Circle at 8:30 a. m. Another will start from the headquarters of the Long Island Auto Club, Bedford Avenue and Halsey Street, Brooklyn.

A check for \$13.50, including contributions from teachers in the Bushwick High School, Brooklyn, came to the A. A. A. office, 501 Fifth Avenue, yesterday. With it was a letter signed by Miss E. E. Southwell, a teacher in the institution, explaining that the money was from her associates there, who were eager to help the greater city to Yaphank transportation service.

Mr. Hemstreet immediately turned over the check to the American Defence Society's bus fund. This is a fund being collected by William Guggenheim, chairman of the society's army and navy committee, to which the money was from her associates there, who were eager to help the greater city to Yaphank transportation service.

## Negro Preacher Attacks Lincoln's Fame as Liberator

President Lincoln's fame as the liberator of the negro race was attacked by the Rev. George Frazier Miller, chairman of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored Men, at a meeting of 400 negroes in Concord Baptist Church, Brooklyn, last night.

He asked the negroes to demand the revocation of Major General Ballou's order to negro troops to avoid places where their presence might give offense. He declared the negroes themselves were responsible for the improvement in their status since the days of slavery, and that they owed little to any white man, even Lincoln.

"You say Lincoln set you free; he never did such a thing in his life," he said. "You have been living under a delusion if you have thought Lincoln set the black man free. The black man set himself free, and now he must do it again."

A resolution condemning General Ballou's order as "most un-American, unjust, undemocratic and likely to arouse the emotions of the crowd and to cause discontent, if not insubordination," was passed unanimously.

**Negro, Under Indictment,  
Lynched by Louisiana Mob**  
MONROE, La., April 22.—Clyde Williams, negro, indicted by the Ouachita Parish grand jury Saturday on charges of shooting with intent to murder C. L. Atwater, Missouri Pacific station agent at Fawcett, La. Several weeks ago, he was taken from a deputy sheriff at McClain plantation, ten miles south of here, to-day by about a dozen masked men and hanged to a tree.

## Nine New Yorkers Get Army Commissions

(Staff Correspondence)  
WASHINGTON, April 22.—Reserve Corps and National Army commissions issued to New York residents to-day by the War Department, Engineers Reserve Corps.  
Francis B. DeGress, 101 Park Avenue, major, Ordnance Reserve Corps.  
Meyer Harold Blatt, 72 McKibben Street, Brooklyn, and Arthur Henry McFarland, 5 West Ninth Street, first lieutenants, Medical Reserve Corps.  
Virginia Lee Lloyd, 15 Park Row, Alexander N. Schomer, 1903 Davidson Avenue, Daniel J. West, 265 West Nineteenth Street and Henry Wilcox, 115 Davis Avenue, Staten Island, first lieutenants, Quartermaster Corps, National Army.  
George W. Sutton, Jr., 243 West Thirty-ninth Street, second lieutenant, Tank Corps, National Army.

## Navy and Marines To Start Big Drive For Recruits Here

Marine and naval recruiting offices here are preparing for the big enlistment drive that must follow the authorized increase of the navy personnel by 78,000 men and the Marine Corps by 45,000.

Lieutenant Daniel Gardner, in charge of the marine recruiting office at 24 East Twenty-third Street, said yesterday that the metropolitan district would be called upon to produce from 8,000 to 10,000 men. Only thirty-four enlisted yesterday. Among these were Ernest Glendinning, whose most recent Broadway appearance was in "The Gipsy Trail."

Lieutenant Commander Newton Mansfield, in charge of naval recruiting at 34 East Twenty-third Street, is preparing for a renewal of naval enlistment activity. He also announced that the Naval Reserve Flying Corps was in need of candidates, who are permitted to file their applications with the Navy Department in Washington.

Among the sixty-three men who are listed in the 27th Division, at 721 Fifth Avenue, are George Anderson, husband of Fritz Scheff, and Jesse Curtiss, son of Glenn Curtiss.

## One Man to Direct Aero Production

WASHINGTON, April 22.—A readjustment of the aircraft programme has been decided on definitely by President Wilson, and Secretary Baker has been directed to carry it out. It was indicated to-day that a man not heretofore mentioned will be given full charge of production.

Secretary Baker was working to-day on reorganization plans, and an announcement probably will be made within two or three days. It was not indicated to-day what changes in personnel might be made or whether the Aircraft Board itself would be reorganized. It was intimated, however, that production would be put in the hands of one man.

**Ambrose Fought 3 Years**  
ELIZABETH, N. J., April 22.—Edward Sylvester Ambrose, mentioned in the Canadian casualty lists to-day, was the son of Mrs. Mary Ambrose, of 694 Plaza Street, this city. He was twenty-eight years old and enlisted three years ago. He was gassed on October 15, 1917, and was at a hospital for several weeks. His parents received a telegram this morning announcing his death in action on April 9.

## The Weather Report

WASHINGTON, April 22.—A very extensive depression of the barometer covers Northeastern Canada and a general depression, likewise of great extent, is central over the southern Rocky Mountain and plateau regions. The latter has not yet been attended by precipitation of consequence. An anticyclone of moderate intensity is moving northeastward over the Canadian Northwest.

Generally fair weather is indicated for the Washington forecast district during the next forty-eight hours, except that showers are probable Wednesday in Tennessee, the eastern Gulf states and the lower Ohio Valley.

The temperature changes will be unimportant. Forecasts for Special Localities.—New England—Fair and slightly cooler to-day; Wednesday, fair. Eastern New York—Fair to-day and Wednesday; cooler to-day and Wednesday.

Western Pennsylvania and Western New York—Fair to-day and Wednesday.

Local Official Record.—The following official record from the Weather Bureau shows temperature during the corresponding date of last year.

The last two-year hours, in comparison with the corresponding date of last year:				
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